

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY
(609) 989-2040

CHAMBERS OF
TONIANNE J. BONGIOVANNI
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

U.S. COURTHOUSE

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June 11, 2009

LETTER ORDER

Re: Thompson v. Hayman, et. al.
Civil Action No. 09-1833 (JAP)

Dear Mr. Thompson:

The Court is in receipt of your “Motion for Clarification” [Docket Entry No. 9]. Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. R. 15(a)(1), “a party may amend its pleading once as a matter of course before being served with a responsive pleading.” In this case, none of the Defendants have filed a responsive pleading as of today’s date and therefore, Plaintiff does not need leave from the Court before filing an amended complaint.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall terminate Docket Entry No. 9 accordingly.

s/ Tonianne J. Bongiovanni
TONIANNE J. BONGIOVANNI
United States Magistrate Judge